

Application No. 09/188,827
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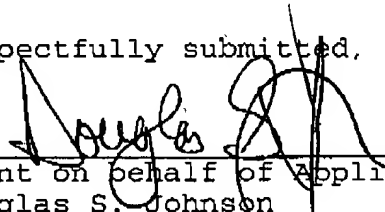
REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 65 through 78 now stand in this application. These claims include the same subject matter as the claims indicated by the Examiner as including allowable subject matter.

Please note that new claim 65 includes all of the limitations of prior claim 17 including the limitations of the claims on which claim 17 was dependent.

In view of the above, Applicant believes this application to be in condition for allowance and awaits such notification at the Examiner's earliest convenience.

Respectfully submitted,



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